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Amendment dated August 17, 2004  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/732,177 Confirmation No. 1420  
Applicant : KENICHI HASEGAWA  
Filed : December 7, 2000  
Title : MAGNETIC FIELD GRADIENT COIL ASSEMBLY AND  
METHOD OF DESIGNING SAME  
Art Unit : 2123  
Examiner : Ayal I. Sharon  
Customer No. : 28289

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

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In response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2004, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

   Small entity status is asserted for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.  
X No additional fee is required.  
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X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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